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Efficient Type Annontation of XML Schema-Validated XML Documents without

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Drawings:

None